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Date September 25, 2002

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	: Ho-Shen Lin, et al.)	
Serial No.	: 10/018,037)	
Filed	: December 11, 2001)	Group Art Unit:
)	1626
For	: sPLA2 Inhibitors)	Examiner:
)	G. Shameem
Docket No.	: X-12420)	

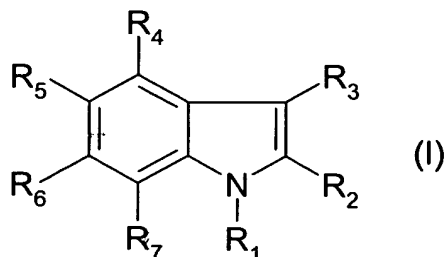
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.121

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Arlington, VA 22202
Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2002, Paper No. 4. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims

1. (amended) An indole compound represented by the formula (I), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, or prodrug derivative thereof;



wherein ;